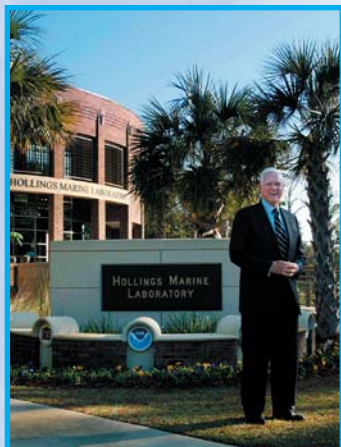


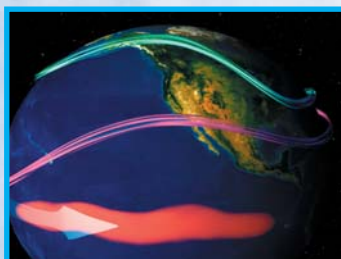
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Former Senator Ernest F. Hollings in front of NOAA's Hollings Marine Laboratory, Charleston, SC.



NOAA's hurricane hunter airplanes for reconnaissance and research.



Scientific Modeling of the El Niño



NOAA commands a wide assortment of hydrographic survey, oceanographic research, and fisheries research vessels.

Ernest F. Hollings Undergraduate Scholarship Program

Program Description:

The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Ernest F. Hollings (Hollings) scholarship program is designed 1) to increase undergraduate training in oceanic and atmospheric science, research, technology, and education and foster multidisciplinary training opportunities; 2) to increase public understanding and support for stewardship of the ocean and atmosphere and improve environmental literacy; 3) to recruit and prepare students for public service careers with NOAA and other natural resource and science agencies at the Federal, state and local levels of government; and 4) to recruit and prepare students for careers as teachers and educators in oceanic and atmospheric science and to improve scientific and environmental education in the United States.

Up to \$28,425 available per student:

Up to \$8,000 of academic assistance per year for full-time study during the junior and senior years; a 10-week, paid (\$650/week) internship during the intervening summer; housing subsidy during the internship; round-trip travel to the internship site; and travel expenses to the Hollings scholarship program conference.

Eligibility Requirements:

- U.S. citizenship
- Full-time junior in Fall 2005 in an accredited college or university within the United States or U.S. Territories;
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 (based on a 4.0 scale) in all completed undergraduate courses and in the major field of study;
- Majoring in a discipline area related to oceanic and atmospheric science, research, technology, or education, and supportive of the purposes of NOAA's program's and mission, e.g., biological, life, and agricultural sciences; physical sciences; mathematics; engineering; computer and information sciences; social and behavioral sciences; and teacher education

Application Deadline: May 23, 2005

For more information and application materials,

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